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SUBJECT: ROK MEDIA REPORT LANCE MISSILE SLATED FOR KOREA

1. JANUARY 29 KOREAN MEDIA HAS GIVEN MAJOR PLAY TO WASHINGTON ORIENT PRESS (OP) STORY WHICH CITES "PENTAGON SOURCES" AS SAYING THAT U.S. IS REPLACING "HONEST JOHN AND SERGEANT MISSILES" IN THE 4TH U.S. ARMY MISSILE COMMAND HERE WITH "LONGER RANGE, MORE ACCURATE, AND MORE FLEXIBLE" LANCE MISSILES. OP STORY, THROUGH ADMIXTURE "PENTAGON SOURCES" STATEMENTS AND SELECTED EXCERPTS FROM SECDEF RUMSFELD'S ANNUAL DEFENSE REPORT TO CONGRESS, CLAIMS LANCE REPLACEMENT PROGRAM "UNDERWAY".

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE CLARIFICATION REGARDING, AND TEXT OF, ANY RECENT USG-SOURCE STATEMENTS CONCERNING LANCE MISSILES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ROK.
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